

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See the American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

Application No. 09/752,798

Filing Date 12/28/2000

First Named Inventor Mohamed Arafa, et al.

Group Art Unit 2814

Examiner Name MAI, Anh D.

Attorney Docket No. 42390.P8119

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted

i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on 08/24/2005
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

i. Amendment/Reply

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ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

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iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. Other: Petition for Extension of Time

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)
for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge deficiencies in the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 2-2666

i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. Other _____

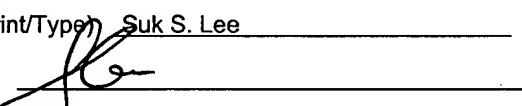
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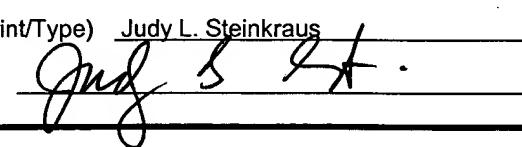
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Date 16 September 2005

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Date 09/16/2005

**FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2005**

Effective on 12/08/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 790.00

Complete if Known:

Application No. 09/752,798
Filing Date December 28, 2000
First Named Inventor Mohamed Arafa
Examiner Name Mai, Anh D.
Art Unit 2814
Attorney Docket No. 42390.P8119

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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Deposit Account Name: _____

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- Charge fee(s) indicated below.
 - Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) during the pendency of this application.
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 - Credit any overpayments.
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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fees Paid (\$)
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
1011	300	2011	150
1111	500	2111	250
1311	200	2311	100
1012	200	2012	100
1112	100	2112	50
1312	130	2312	65
1013	200	2013	100
1113	300	2113	150
1313	160	2313	80
1004	300	2004	150
1114	500	2114	250
1314	600	2314	300
1005	200	2005	100

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0.00

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

				<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Total Claims	<u>18</u>	- 20 or HP =	<u>0</u>		X \$50.00	\$0.00
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20						
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	- 3 or HP =	<u>0</u>		X \$200.00	\$0.00
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3						
Multiple Dependent Claims						
Large Entity	Small Entity					
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee Description		
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	Each claim over 20		
1202	50	2202	25	Each independent claim over 3		
1201	200	2201	100	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid		
1203	360	2203	180	Reissue: each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent		
1204	200	2204	100	Reissue: each independent claim more than in the original patent		
1205	50	2205	25			
					SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0.00	

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

<u>Total Sheets</u>	<u>Extra Sheets</u>	<u>Number of each add'l 50 or fraction thereof</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fees paid (\$)</u>
_____	- 100 = _____ / 50 = _____ (round up to whole number)		X \$250.00	_____

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description: Application size fee for each additional group of 50 sheets beyond initial 100 sheets (count spec & drawings except sequences & program listings):
Fee	Fee	Fee Description: Application size fee for each additional group of 50 sheets beyond initial 100 sheets (count spec & drawings except sequences & program listings):
Code	(\$)	Fee Description: Application size fee for each additional group of 50 sheets beyond initial 100 sheets (count spec & drawings except sequences & program listings):
1081	250	Utility
1082	250	Design
1083	250	Plant
1084	250	Reissue

SUBTOTAL (3) \$ 0.00

FEE CALCULATION (continued)**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Fees Paid (\$)

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	
Fee	Fee	Fee	
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
1051	130	2051	65
1052	50	2052	25
1053	130	1053	130
1812	2,520	1812	2,520
1813	8,800	1813	8,800
1804	920*	1804	920*
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*
1251	120	2251	60
1252	450	2252	225
1253	1,020	2253	510
1254	1,590	2254	795
1255	2,160	2255	1,080
1401	500	2401	250
1402	500	2402	250
1403	1,000	2403	500
1451	1,510	1451	1,510
1452	500	2452	250
1453	1,500	2453	750
1501	1,400	2501	700
1502	800	2502	400
1503	1100	2503	550
1462	400	1462	400
1463	200	1463	200
1464	130	1464	130
1807	50	1807	50
1806	180	1806	180
8021	40	8021	40
1809	790	2809	395
1814	130	2814	65
1810	790	2810	395
1801	790	2801	395
1802	900	1802	900
1504	300	1504	300
1505	300	1505	300
1803	130	1803	130
1808	130	1808	130
1454	1,370	1454	1,370

Other fee (specify) _____

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SUBTOTAL (4) \$790.00

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

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